



**BRAZIL TECHNOLOGY DAY**  
**Tuesday, February 25, 2003**  
**National Institute of Standards and Technology**  
**Gaithersburg, MD 20899**

**Morning**

8:00–8:30	Registration	In front of Green Auditorium
8:30–8:35	General Welcome and Logistics	B. Stephen Carpenter, Ph.D. Director, OIAA, NIST
8:35–8:50	NIST Welcome & Under Secretary Bond's Introduction	Arden L. Bement, Jr., Ph.D. Director, NIST
8:50–9:10	U. S. Opening Remarks	Phillip J. Bond, Under Secretary of Commerce for Technology
9:10–9:30	Brazilian Opening Remarks	Rubens Antonio Barbosa, Ambassador of Brazil to the United States of America
9:30–10:00	Coffee Break	
10:00–10:20	Remarks by Ministry of Science and Technology (MCT) of Brazil	Dr. Francelino Lamy de Miranda Grando Secretary of Technology Policies for Enterprises
10:20–10:40	Industrial Technology in Brazil and INMETRO	Dr. Manuel Fernando Lousada Soares, Secretary for Industrial Technology, Ministry of Development, Industry and Foreign Trade and Dr. Paulo Ferraciolo, International Relations Coordinator, INMETRO
10:40–11:00	History of NIST and Brazil Interactions	B. Stephen Carpenter
11:00–11:30	NIST-IPT S&T Cooperation, State of São Paulo S&T Activities and Logistics of the Poster and Meetings Session	Prof. Guilherme Ary Plonski, General Director, IPT São Paulo State Institute for Technological Research

**Lunch**

11:30–12:45	Lunch	Back of NIST 101 Cafeteria
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**Afternoon**

12:45–2:45	Launch of FAPESP Magazine , , Poster Presentations Magazine and Pre-scheduled Meetings	Prof. Dr. José Fernando Perez, Scientific Director Brazilian Representatives (Yellow & Blue Conf. Rooms, 222/B217-B233)
2:45–3:15	Afternoon Coffee Break	
3:15–5:00	Continuation of Poster Presentations and Pre-scheduled Meetings	

**Evening**

6:30 PM

Cocktail Reception at the Brazilian Embassy Residence, 3000 Massachusetts Avenue, N.W.,  
Washington, D.C.